

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO			Complete if Known	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Use as many sheets as necessary)			Application Number	10/676,312
			Filing Date	September 30, 2003
			First Named Inventor	Hao Pan
			Art Unit	2629
			Examiner Name	KOVALICK, VINCENT EP Dharlia
			Attorney Docket Number	SLA1347 (7146.0167)
Sheet	1	of	1	

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials *	Cite No. ¹	Document Number Number - Kind Code ² (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		US			
		US			
		US			
		US			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials *	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document Country Code ³ - Number ⁴ - Kind Code ⁵ (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
/P.D./	A	JP 2007-129133	05-19-1995	Casio Comput Co Ltd.	T ⁶
/P.D./	B	JP 2007-334123	12-22-1995	Casio Comput Co Ltd.	
/P.D./	C	JP 2003-174186	07-29-1991	Matsushita Electric Ind Co Ltd.	

NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials *	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.			T ²
/P.D./	D	Office Action issued April 13, 2010 in co-pending Japanese Patent Application No. 2004-278838; pgs 1-2			
/P.D./		---FOLLOWING NPL REFERENCES AND FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS LISTED ABOVE WERE CITED BY EXAMINER IN 4/13/10 JAPANESE OFFICE ACTION---			
/P.D./	E	English Abstract of Japanese Publication No. 2007-129133; Applicant - Casio Comput Co Ltd.; published May 19, 1995; 1 pg			
/P.D./	F	English Abstract of Japanese Publication No. 2007-334123; Applicant - Casio Comput Co Ltd.; published December 22, 1995; 1 pg			
/P.D./	G	English Abstract of Japanese Publication No. 2003-174186; Applicant - Casio Comput Co Ltd.; published July 29, 1991; 1 pg			
/P.D./	H	Amendment to Japanese Publication No. 2003-174186, dated March 18, 1994; 1 pg			

Examiner Signature	/Prabodh Dharlia/	Date Considered	09/17/2010
--------------------	-------------------	-----------------	------------

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.